

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> April 1778

C. B.

Present as on Yesterday

Ordered that the western Shore Treasurer pay to John Smoot eleven Pounds two Shillings and six Pence due him on Account Passed

That the said Treasurer Pay to Samuel Harvy Howard, Twenty seven Pounds one Shilling and nine Pence due him on Account passed

That the said Treasurer Pay to Col<sup>o</sup> Henry Hollingsworth one hundred and seventy one Pounds nine Shillings and eleven Pence due per Account Passed by the Committee of Claims

Robert Wilson of Dorchester County and Samuel Perci-field of Ann Arundel County took the Oath of Fidelity and Support to this State according to the late Act and Certificates given

Tho<sup>s</sup> Read Comm<sup>r</sup> of the Brig. Baltimore, receipt of 2 short 3 pounders 4 long 3 pound<sup>s</sup> with their Carriages which were sent to Baltimore & also 4 short 3 pounders the property of this State received for the use of the Congress

Thursday 2<sup>d</sup> April 1778

Present as on Yesterday

Ordered That the western shore Treasurer pay to Charles Wallace six hundred Pounds on Account

Levin Frazer, Joel Higginbottom of the Galley Independence, David Ferguson of the Galley Conqueror, John Jackson of Dorchester County Nathan S<sup>t</sup> Clair of Balt<sup>o</sup> County and Caleb Healy of Prince Georges County took the Oath of Fidelity and Support to this State according to the late Act and Certificates given

Capt. Furnival, From the Conversation we have had with you we think it will be best for you to Contract for good Leather Breeches for your non Commissioned Officers and Privates they agreeing to a part Payment themselves out of their Pay so that the Public is not burthened with more than six pounds a pair the Breeches ought to be good to which we desire you will be Particularly Attentive